

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1408

By Naifeh

A RESOLUTION to recognize Linda Burnett on the occasion of her retirement as Tipton County Administrator of Elections.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of industry; and

WHEREAS, Linda Burnett is one such estimable person who has served with distinction for thirty-two years with the Tipton County Election Office and has recently announced that she will be taking a much deserved retirement; and

WHEREAS, Administrator of Elections for Tipton County since 1982, Linda Burnett is greatly respected and admired by her peers statewide and has served on every committee of the Tennessee Association of County Election Officials and has held the prestigious offices of president, vice-president, and secretary of that esteemed organization; and

WHEREAS, Linda Burnett exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, the wife of Jimmy Burnett, a retired member of the Tennessee National Guard, Linda Burnett is the proud mother of three devoted children, Carol Moore, Keith Burnett, and Jonathan Burnett, and the beloved grandmother of four treasured grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, a faithful member of First Baptist Church of Covington, Linda Burnett oversees the nursery for the church; and

WHEREAS, throughout her estimable career, Linda Burnett has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of her colleagues and the good people of Tipton County; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE

CONCURRING, that we honor Linda Burnett on her exceptional thirty-two year career with the Tipton County Office of Elections, commend her meritorious service as Administrator of Elections, and extend to her our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.